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AMENDMENT TO THE CLAIMS

[c01] (Currently Amended) A method of providing communications services, comprising the steps of:

receiving caller identification information identifying a call ~~a communication~~
from an originating party, ~~the communication intended for to~~ a receiving party;

accessing a database of pre-created text data messages, the database storing a pre-created text data message having a common association between the receiving party and the originating party; and

communicating the pre-created text data message to an Internet Protocol address associated with the originating party.

[c02] (Currently Amended) A method according to claim 1, wherein the step of communicating the pre-created text data message comprises communicating the pre-created text data message via an Internet Protocol communications network.

[c03] (Currently Amended) A method according to claim 1, wherein the step of communicating the pre-created text data message comprises wirelessly communicating the pre-created text data message via a wireless communications network.

[c04] (Currently Amended) A method according to claim 1, wherein the step of communicating the pre-created text data message comprises wirelessly communicating the pre-created text data message via a pager communications network.

[c05] (Currently Amended) A method according to claim 1, further comprising ~~wherein the step of receiving the communication comprises~~ receiving a telephone call intended to terminate at the receiving party.

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- [c08] (Currently Amended) A method according to claim 1, further comprising ~~wherein the step of communicating the pre-created data message comprises~~ communicating the pre-created text data message to another destination.
- [c09] (Currently Amended) A method of providing communications services, comprising the steps of:
- receiving caller identification information identifying a call ~~a communication~~
 - from an originating party, ~~the communication intended for to~~ a receiving party;
 - accessing a database of pre-created text data messages, the database storing multiple pre-created text data messages associated with the receiving party;
 - selecting one of the pre-created text data messages; and
 - communicating the pre-created text data message to the originating party.
- [c10] (Currently Amended) A method according to claim 9, wherein the step of communicating the pre-created text data message comprises communicating the pre-created text data message via an Internet Protocol communications network.
- [c11] (Currently Amended) A method according to claim 9, wherein the step of communicating the pre-created text data message comprises wirelessly communicating the pre-created text data message via a wireless communications network.
- [c12] (Currently Amended) A method according to claim 9, further comprising ~~wherein the step of receiving the communication comprises~~ receiving a telephone call intended to terminate at the receiving party.
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- [c15] (Currently Amended) A method according to claim 9, further comprising ~~wherein the step of communicating the pre-created data message comprises~~ communicating the pre-created text data message to another destination.
- [c16] (Currently Amended) A method according to claim 9, wherein the step of selecting one of the pre-created text data messages comprises selecting one pre-created text data message having a common association between the originating party and an additional condition, the additional condition specified by the receiving party.
- [c17] (Currently Amended) A method according to claim 16, wherein the additional condition comprises a time of a day that the call communication is received.
- [c18] (Original) A method according to claim 16, wherein the additional condition comprises entries in an electronic calendar.
- [c19] (Original) A method according to claim 16, wherein the additional condition comprises presence information.
- [c20] (Original) A method according to claim 16, wherein the additional condition is based on a search of another database.
- [c21] (Currently Amended) A system, comprising:
- a Communications Module stored in a memory device, and a processor communicating with the memory device;
 - the Communications Module receiving caller identification information identifying a call ~~a communication~~ from an originating party that is intended for a receiving party, the Communications Module accessing a database of pre-created text data messages, the database storing a pre-created text data message having a common association between the receiving party and the originating party, the Communications

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Module then initiating a communication of the pre-created text data message to the originating party.

[c22] (Currently Amended) A computer program product, comprising:

a computer-readable medium; and

a Communications Module stored on the computer-readable medium, the Communications Module receiving caller identification information identifying a call a ~~communication~~ from an originating party that is intended for a receiving party, the Communications Module accessing a database of pre-created text data messages, the database storing a pre-created text data message having a common association between the receiving party and the originating party, the Communications Module then initiating a communication of the pre-created text data message to the originating party.